

Docket No. SC66U-US

Customer No. 60,723

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
MAY 30 2007

Applicant(s): Ralph R. Binetti et al.

Confirmation No.: 8915

Serial No.: 10/738,413

Group Art Unit: 1635

Filed: December 17, 2003

Examiner: Amy Hudson Bowman

For: SI-RNA-MEDIATED GENE SILENCING TECHNOLOGY TO INHIBIT  
TYROSINASE AND REDUCE PIGMENTATION**VIA FACSIMILE 571-273-8300****DATE: May 30, 2007** Pages: 20Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

Dear Sir or Madam:

I hereby certify that the following attached paper(s) and/or fee

1. Certificate of Facsimile Transmission (1 page);
2. Fee Transmittal (1 page + duplicate);
3. Credit Card Payment Form (1 page);
4. Request for Continued Examination (1 page) and
2. Amendment to Office Action (15 pages).

is being transmitted via facsimile to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Central Fax  
Number 571-273-8300 under 37 C.F.R. §1.8 on the date indicated above and is addressed to  
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.Kathy S. Abrams

(Typed or printed name of person faxing papers(s) and/or fee)

  
(Signature of person faxing paper(s) and/or fee)**Correspondence Address:**AVON PRODUCTS INC.  
Avon Place  
Suffern, NY 10901  
(845) 369-2114 Telephone  
(845) 369-2900 Facsimile